## **SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 1121**

## By Kilby

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Jessica Megan Erwin, 2008 Valedictorian of Scott High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Jessica Megan Erwin is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2008 graduating class at Scott High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. Erwin has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Jessica has earned an exemplary 4.0+ grade point average; and

WHEREAS, in addition to her status as a stellar scholar, this exceptional young lady has earned numerous accolades, including receipt of the Foreign Language Award and the Cheerleading Achievement Award; inclusion in *Who's Who Among American High School Students*; and distinction as a Tennessee Scholar; and

WHEREAS, a valuable participant in her school's activities and her community's affairs,

Jessica is a member of several academic, social, and civic organizations, including the Beta

Club, S.W.A.T. Club, and Pep Club; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Erwin has provided outstanding leadership as a varsity cheerleader; and

WHEREAS, she has evidenced a strong commitment to good citizenship and public service at an early age by donating her time and talents to several worthy causes, including the Scott County Heritage Festival; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Erwin's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her success in college and throughout life; and

WHEREAS, Jessica's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Randy and Melissa Reagan, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Jessica Megan Erwin's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby honor and commend Jessica Megan Erwin, 2008 Scott High School Valedictorian, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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